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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Keiji Kanota, et al.

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APPARATUS, INFORMATION REPRODUCING METHOD
AND APPARATUS

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.121
AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed on October 5, 2006, Applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension-of-time, extending the period for response to and

including March 5, 2007. Applicants enclose herewith a check in the amount of \$450.00 as payment of the extension-of-time fee. Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.